

DARRY IS CHOSEN TO HEAD SEATTLE

Another Beaver May Manage Team as Victoria Wants Tommy Sheehan.

M'CREDIES ARE WILLING

Portland Baseball Powers Predict That Members of Last Year's Champions Will Make Good as Club Leaders.

It is now practically certain that two of McCreddie's 1911 Beaver champions will manage Northwest League clubs next season...

Authentic information received here yesterday, and which has been heralded several days in advance in press dispatches...

W. McCreddie, president of the Portland club, is in receipt of a telegram from L. A. Wattleit of the Victoria club...

If Seattle gets Barry and Victoria lands Sheehan, both those clubs will bear watching...

Walter McCreddie expresses a high regard for both Sheehan and Barry, and he attributes much of the success of his champions to Barry's coaching...

The next few days will be busy ones for Walter McCreddie, as he is engaged in filling out and mailing contracts to his prospective 1912 Beavers...

The work of making out the contracts for the coming season will keep the tall Beaver quite busy, though he has practically decided upon the roster...

"Spec" Harkness and Elmer Koestner are also likely to be engaged in writing on the contracts to be tendered...

A Cincinnati scout recently called upon Manager Hank O'Day, the former umpire, who has been signed to handle Harry Herrmann's outfit next season...

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Edinburgh, Jan. 2.—Kochmalman, a native of Finland, won the professional marathon footrace of 24 miles, 285 yards, and the championship of the world at the Powder Hall Athletic grounds today...

Hans Holmer (United States) who won the race last year in the record time of 2 hours, 22 minutes, 21 seconds, was second, 19 yards behind...

PAIR OF M'CREDDIE'S CHAMPIONS, SLATED FOR NORTHWESTERN MANAGERIAL BERTHS NEXT SEASON.



TOMMY SHEEHAN JACK BARRY

BATTLER HAS GRIT

Nelson's Performance With Redmond Shows Class.

WOLGAST MEETING SOUGHT

Otto Berg, Astoria Soldier, Is in San Francisco, Seeking Match With Fritz Holland, Whom He Defeated Before.

FOOTBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED

High School Players Organize to Meet Independent Elevens.

BASKETBALL FIVE MAY COME

"Mysterious Mitchell" Would Bring San Francisco Team North.

LEST WE FORGET

What Former Portland Players Are Now Doing.

WHEN MORRIS STEELMAN

sustained an injury during the middle of the 1904 season, and Matt Stanley was also on the shelf...

AUSTRALIANS PROVE BEST

McLoughlin and Wright Go Down to Defeat in Doubles Match.

CHRIST CHURCH, N. Z.

The Australian tennis champions completed their successful defense of the Davis

NOTED ATHLETES DIE IN YEAR 1911

George McMillan and Ralph Dimick Among Prominent Oregon Men to Go.

ADDIE JOSS HEADS LIST

Three Major League Magnates Pass Away and Many Well-Known Ballplayers--New Minnesota Rule Thought Silly.

Father Time, the scythe swinger, has had a busy year in sport circles, and many prominent figures in the athletic world have been taken by death...

The Australian team consisted of Norman E. Brooks and A. W. Dunlop. They won from Beals C. Wright and Maurice E. McLoughlin...

Sammy Vigneaux, an old-time Pacific Coast player, is locally perhaps the best-known veteran called by death...

Hank Griffin, the negro heavyweight fighter; Charles McKeever and Louie Long, the Oakland lightweight...

Automobiles claimed a toll of nearly a dozen deaths, the noted racers killed including Ned Crane, Kansas City; Louis Strang, La Crosse; Marcel Baile, Chicago; Ralph Ireland, Elgin; Dave Buck, Elgin; Billy Pierce, Sioux City; Ray McNay, Savannah; Albert Brown, Denver; and Walter Donnelly, killed at Milwaukee on June 22.

Under the miscellaneous head we recall Faddy Kelly, one of Canada's greatest cross-country players; Captain Charles Barr, yacht master; Alfred Le Queene, a member of the Cleveland bowling team...

The old English theory that any man who indulges in manual labor is a professional, seems to have been re-assessed by the University of Minnesota athletic authorities...

Those on handshaking terms with Spencer were one of the smallest men who ever played on the Pacific Coast League grounds here...

For a small man Spencer was a fairly good catcher, as far as the catching department of the game was concerned, but as a batter he was worse than "Spec" Harkness, "Ham" Berg or Harry Ables...

Spencer was another Portland "Dugdale importation" who went to the Inter-Mountain League when the fat chief was banished back to that dear Seattle place...

practical sense will ridicule this sort of pedagogical purity. Democracy is gradually spreading all over the world and the intimation that honest labor makes a man a professional athlete is sure to give sensible men a

peculiar idea of the theories held by college instructors.

Boston fans are duly excited over the selection of a new name for the Boston National ball club...

The all-star football eleven which dropped in on us from Seattle on New Year's day and immediately slunk away under a 2-to-0 safety...

"Three-Finger" Brown, who may not play with the Chicago Cubs next year, has been one of the most consistent winners in the National League...

Portsmouth and Holladay Will Play Today on Columbus Field.

Soccer in the grammar school league starts again today with a match on Columbus Field between Portsmouth and Holladay...

Physicians Fear Ad Wolgast Will Have Pneumonia.

TEMPERATURE STILL HIGH

Doctors Issue Orders That No One but Champion's Wife and His Manager, Tom Jones, Be Admitted to Room.

Y. M. C. A. FORMING SKI CLUB

Ascend of Mount Hood to Be Made in Middle of February.

Not to be outdone by other clubs, the Y. M. C. A. is organizing a ski club, which will make an ascent of Mount Hood in the middle of February.

IMPORTANT SESSION IS DUE

Lynch Thinks National Commission Will Grant Concessions.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Thomas J. Lynch, president of the National League, left this afternoon for Cincinnati to attend the annual meeting of the National Baseball Commission...

FREAK TOUCHDOWN TOLD

SCORE SHOWN TO BE POSSIBLE IN CENTER OF FIELD.

Fair Catch Crosses Line, Goes Out of Bounds and is Juggled Back Into Fair Territory.

Attorney Victor Place, of Seattle, former coach at the University of Washington and later at Notre Dame, tells of a gridiron complication...

"And this freak play really happened back East once," said the ex-Dartmouth College captain on Monday while in Portland.

"Here we have it: Team B negotiated a fair catch somewhere in A's section of the gridiron and then tried for a field goal from placement. Under the rules a kick after a fair catch that goes over the goal line on the fly is not declared dead, so when an A player fumbled the ball, which sailed wide of the goal posts, the rival teams began a wild scramble for the oval.

'tis time, sir

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LOS ANGELES, Jan. 2.—Reports from Venice tonight were to the effect that Champion Ad Wolgast's condition was giving his physicians concern...

Wolgast's temperature late today was 101 1/2, which, it was said, was about the same as that of yesterday.

Brief Sporting Notes. Head Coach Arthur Hall has con-

Victrola and Other Records

The Modern Talking Machine Is at Last Appropriately Displayed in the City of Portland.

In Eilers Music House at the corner of Alder Street at Seventh, the admirers of the Victor, the Columbia, the Edison, can select the latest in machines, and the best and newest records, in comfort, privacy and amid the most refined surroundings.

All of the record-selection rooms are thoroughly soundproof, light, airy; one is not annoyed by the strains of a Victor Herbert's band when a Caruso or a Tetrastini, or a Mary Garden is singing in the next room.

"Subterranean talking machine selling" in dingy, stuffy, poorly ventilated rooms has seen its days in Portland. Every room at Eilers Music House is lighted by daylight, perfectly ventilated and appropriately furnished.

Eilers Music House being the largest dealers in all makes of talking machines, has, of course, a complete list of all records at all times on sale. Thousands of Victor selections, thousands of Columbia selections, single discs and double discs, Red Seal and Blue Seal, and more than five thousand Edison selections are here to choose from, and the assortment is growing almost daily.

Nearly all of the world's great artists have now made records for the latest musical instrument—the modern talking machine.

You are invited to hear any of these famous singers and artists.

You will not find the poor, rasping attempts at reproduction of a few years ago, but you will now find living, breathing voices of the world's foremost artists. Complete list of records will be sent free upon request.

Eilers Music House, now at Seventh and Alder, the Nation's largest dealers in pianos and also in talking machines.

Advertisement for W. H. McBrayer's Cedar Brook whiskey, featuring a bottle image and text: a product of the celebrated old W. H. McBrayer Distillery—recognized for three generations as the finest whiskey known to the trade. Now aged eight full years and Bottled in Bond under direct government supervision. It is just as good as other whiskey.